Connecticut General Assembly JOB OPPORTUNITY Legislative Attorneys

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Open To: The Public Location: Hartford

Hours: Full-Time and Temporary

Closing Date: December 2, 2016

General Knowledge:

Connecticut General Assembly's nonpartisan legal services office seeks full-time staff attorneys and full-time temporary attorneys for an exciting opportunity in a dynamic environment. Primary responsibilities are working with legislators in drafting legislation and serving as legal counsel to one or more legislative committees. Additional responsibilities include performing related legislative legal services, indexing and codifying public acts for publication, and reviewing proposed state agency regulations.

For full-time staff attorneys, starting salary of \$77,290, plus excellent health insurance, retirement and other fringe benefits. For full-time temporary attorneys, position term ends June 2017, at per diem salary of \$296.10.

Required Skills and Ability:

Requires superior writing and analytical skills, thoroughness, accuracy and attention to detail, strong interpersonal and teamwork skills, and initiative. Must perform excellent work under tight deadlines, and be willing and able to work very long hours during legislative sessions. Excellent academic record, law degree, and admission to Connecticut bar at time of hiring required.

Application Instructions:

For all positions, letter of application, resume and writing sample (5 - 7 pages) should be sent electronically to cgaemployment@cga.ct.gov or by U.S. Mail, overnight courier service or hand-delivery to:

Attorney Search Legislative Commissioners' Office - Suite 5500 Legislative Office Building Hartford, CT 06106-1591

Letter of application should specify how the applicant meets the requirements of the position as described in this advertisement. Applications must be received by **5:00 P.M. on December 2**, **2016.**

AN AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.